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Appeal No: 2007-3031~
Appellant: Brian Mark Shuster et al.
Application No: 09/648,474
Hearing Room: B
Hearing Docket: B
Hearing Date: Thursday, January 17, 2008
Hearing Time: 09:00 AM
Location: Madison Building - East Wing
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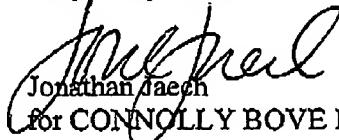
Dear Sir or Madam,

We are in receipt of your message setting a hearing date of January 17, 2008 in the above-referenced matter.

Because I reside in Los Angeles, I request that the hearing be conducted telephonically. We would be happy to provide a toll-free dial-in number for a telephone conference, if this would be helpful.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Very Truly Yours,


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